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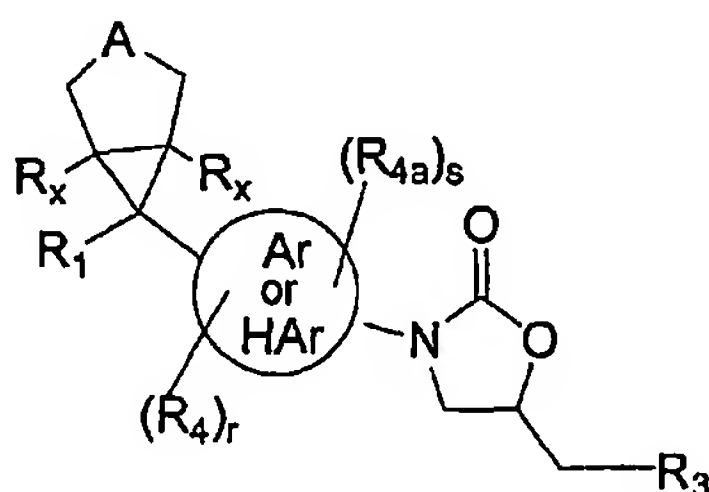
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(57) Abstract: This invention relates to new oxazolidinones having a C¹ alkyl moiety, which are effective against aerobic and anaerobic pathogen resistant staphylococci, streptococci and enterococci, Bacteroides species, as well as acid-fast organisms such as *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* and other mycobacterial species. The compounds are represented by structural formula (I): A a Rx (R_{4a})_s Rx x 1 0 Ri Ar or HAr N O A _R₃ 15 its enantiomer, diastereomer, or pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester thereof.



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